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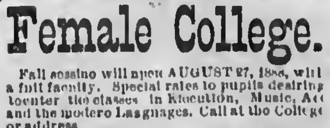

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—"Another lie nailed," said the clerk as he tacked up a "selling out at cost" sign.—*Terre Haute Express.*

—The fraudulent old beau who dyes his hair has no right to be writing to any girl about his undying love.—*N. O. Picayune.*

—New Clerk—"These apples seem to be very small." Proprietor (irritably)—"Well, what do you expect when you open the wrong end of the barrel?" —*Boston Beacon.*

—Al—"Heartless girl, you refuse me! I have $20,000 worth of diamonds for you. Is there no 'silver lining to my dark cloud?'" She—"Yes, if you put it in that light."—*Detroit Free Press.*

—Enthusiastic Bride—"Oh, I am so happy with Fred! Love makes time fly." Matter of Fact Old Father—"And when you have been married as long as I have, you'll find that time makes love fly."

—Minister (who has just driven his horse to a wedding in the country)—"Can I hitch out here ... prospective Bridegroom—"Wal' ... Sal and the folks rath... nothin' done in the hou..."

—"Is it n... as he gazed at t... of Niagara, "th... insignificant quantity ... that arises from that vast ... water should be mist?"—*T...*

—The word "small-pox" fell to Tommy to spell, but he floundered hopelessly. "Tommy," said the teacher, "do you know what a little boy who fails on so simple a word as small-pox ought to get?" "Yes'm," replied Tommy, "he ought to get vaccinated."—*Life.*

—"Young man," shouted her papa over the banisters at about 1 a. m., "you seem to take no note of time!" "No," replied the prosperous young merchant in a business-like tone, "never for more than thirty days." And the old man returned quietly to bed and dreamed of his prospective son-in-law and boodle.—*New Haven News.*

—"Your honor," said a vagrant to the police judge, "it's a shame to impose that fine. I belong to the refined class, I do." "Refined class?" "Yes, sir. Wasn't I fined the last time I was up here?" "Yes." "And wasn't I refined this time?" The court included sixty days in the work-house in the sentence.—*Merchant Traveler.*

—"My dear boy," said a mother to her son, as he handed round his plate for more turkey, "this is the fourth time you have been helped." "I know, mother," replied the boy, "but that turkey pecked me once, and I want to get square with him." He got his turkey.—*San Francisco Wasp.*

MISPLACED CONFIDENCE.

Living on a Joke for Two Years, Only to Find It Was All a Mistake.

"John, dear!"

"Well, Mag—what is it?"

"I don't believe you love me as you used to do."

"Why not?"

"Oh, you don't say such rapturous words and do such crazy things."

"Don't I kiss you every morning when I leave and every night when I return?"

"Yes, just as you take your medicine when you're sick—because you've got to."

"What a little goose of a darling you are, to be sure."

"And I don't believe you'd give me the same answer you did during our courtship days—when I asked you about Eve."

"What was that?"

"Why, that Adam got a bonanza when he got Eve."

"Oh, I never said any such thing."

"You did, John."

"You misunderstood me."

"No, I did not, you wretch."

"Now, Mag, I'll tell you—"

"What?"

"This is what I said. I remember it distinctly. It was a little joke of mine."

"Oh, it was? Well, may be your love for me was a joke."

"Now, Mag."

"Well, go on."

"You asked me what reply the Lord made Adam when he asked Him for a companion."

"Yes, and you said He gave him a bonanza, and implied that I was your bonanza. Oh, I am a poor deceived wife."

"Now, Mag! I said no such thing. I said, when Adam asked for a companion, that—"

"The Lord gave him a bonanza."

"No, dear—you misunderstood me. A woman can never see a joke. I said He gave him a bone-answer."

"And I've been living on that miserable joke these two years past."

"Ha! ha! ha!"

"Oh, yes! laugh, you monster! And now I suppose you tell me that 'bone-answer' and 'bonanza' are not the same!"

"Oh, that's outside the limits of my joke. A joke don't want to be covered all over with frills and furbelows, like a woman's gown."

"Oh, it doesn't?"

"No, dear. A joke is masculine."

"Of course. That's why it is brutal."

"Good-bye, dear. Here comes my car."

"Good-bye. Do you really love me, John?"

"Can't stop now. Tell you all about it to-night."—*N. E. Farmer.*

But Yet an Orphan.

It is only the professional beggar, graduated after a severe course of training, who remembers his part on all occasions. Mrs. Bancroft, an English lady, was guilty of setting a very effective trap for a little boy, who one day came up to her in the street, whining.

"Please, mum, a 'alfpenny, mum. So 'ungry, mum. Ain't 'ad nothink to eat since yesterday mornin' mum. Do, mum. I'm a poor horfun, mum."

"Poor boy! An orphan?"

"Yes, mum."

"Dear me! where do your father and mother live?"

"In Queen street, mum?"—*Youth's Companion.*

A WONDERFUL FREAK.

She Couldn't Marry Him, But Was Able to Say Something Nice.

"Penelope, can't you say something to soften the blow?" implored the young man.

"O, Philip, Philip! What can I say? It is all over between us."

"That doesn't soften it any," rejoined Philip; "that's what you said before."

And the unhappy youth looked mournfully at a ten-dollar volume of poems he had presented her a few months before, and heaved a sigh so deep, so profound, that it made his shoes perceptibly tighter.

"Penelope," he continued, "when a young man builds up all his hopes on the promise of a young woman, and that young woman deliberately goes back on that promise, it knocks the props, as it were, out from under his hopes, and they come down, kerwash! You may have a perception some time, Penelope," he added, with increasing gloom, "of the feelings of a human being standing by a wreck of this kind, and looking at the debris of his own happiness."

"I couldn't help it, Philip," she replied. "I have become satisfied that we were not made for each other. We should not be happy together. We—"

"Is it because I am a mugwump?" he demanded.

"No, Philip, it is not that. I think, with proper nursing, you would recover from that in time. Neither have I any objection to your personal appearance, your position in society, your habits—"

"My habits!" he ejaculated. "I hope not. Penelope Witherspoon, I never in my life took a drink of any thing intoxicating, never chewed tobacco, never smoked a cigar, never went to a circus, and never was in a ball-room. I don't drink tea or coffee, eat peanuts, chew gum, read novels, swear, gamble, lie, use snuff, play checkers, sit up late at night, go to theaters, eat between meals, nor read Amelie Rives. I never kissed a young woman in my life—"

"So far as my experience goes," assented Penelope, retrospectively, "I can certify that you have not, Philip," she added, with a glow of tender womanly sympathy on her face; "you asked me to say something to soften the blow. I think I can foresee a great future for you. Your habits have fitted you for a shining career."

"In what capacity, may I ask?"

"As a $50-a-week freak in a dime museum!"—*Chicago Tribune.*

AN INTERESTING CASE.

A Curious Legal Question Recently Decided by an English Court.

The children of Marc Thomegay have recently caused the record of one of the most curious legal complications ever known. Marc was a workman of Geneva, who came to England in 1731. According to his own account, as he told it in a petition to the council of Geneva some years afterward, "one of the first ties he formed in England was an attachment for Miss Martha Powis, whom he intended to marry as soon as fortune would allow him to do so." Being unable to marry, they lived together for several years and had three children. In 1749, however, he married Elizabeth Woodhouse, and one daughter was born to them. Elizabeth Woodhouse died in 1717, and in 1751 he finally married Martha Powis, by whom he had three more children. Two of her children, born before her marriage, returned to Geneva and married there, and in order to legitimize them Marc in 1774 appealed to the council. This, not being contrary to the law of Switzerland, was granted, and the children pronounced legitimate. In 1886 a lady, who was descended from Marc and his wife Elizabeth, died intestate in England, possessed of a large property, and to find her next kin it was necessary to go back to the children of Martha Powis. Then came the issue between the descendants of the three children born before wedlock, but legitimized by the Geneva court, and the children born after wedlock, who were legitimate unquestionably according to English law. The English law does not permit children to be made legitimate by subsequent marriage, but it gives effect to the laws of other countries which hold the contrary. The question was: Of what country was Marc a citizen when he married Martha Powis? The court holds that he had become a citizen of England, and had never renounced his allegiance, and it was decided that the representatives of the first children could receive no share of the property. —*N. Y. Sun.*

Novelties in Jewelry.

A new vase is of silver with gold relief work profusely decorated with passion flowers. It makes a handsome center-piece.

A parrot's head with ruby eyes makes an attractive brooch. The feathers are in the new opalescent finished gold and look very lifelike.

A dainty pin represents a feather fan of eight fluffy plumes, each in a different shade of gold. In the center is a flashing diamond.

A quiet but rich-looking charm has in the center a circular sardonyx intaglio, mounted within a frame of gold and platinum in alternate squares.

A human head of solid moonstone, wearing a high hat of gold, and further embellished with a silver collar round the neck, makes an odd scarf-pin.

A bracelet recently made to order is faced with eighteen large opals. In corners of the setting sparkle thirty-six diamonds. The combination is effective.—*Jewelers' Weekly.*

—A young man, a Protestant, attended a Roman Catholic church for the first time on a recent Sunday at Bar Harbor. When he was going out he thought he saw the congregation dropping offerings into a receptacle at the side of the door, so when he reached it he put forth his hand and deposited a quarter in the holy water font.

—A story is told of a young man who was going West to open a jewelry store. When asked what capital he had, he replied: "A crowbar."

FACTS FOR FARMERS.

—Some farmers are all brains and others all elbow-grease, and neither succeed.

—The *California Fruit Grower* says grasshoppers can be destroyed by a mixture of arsenic and bran, which they will eat readily and die in their tracks.

—The remedy for a "hide-bound" horse is a simple tonic, nutritious food and the use of the curry-comb and brush freely. By this means the hide will soon become supple and the coat sleek and glossy.

—The feeding of sulphur to animals and poultry may be excellent at times, but it should never be given in damp weather. If given in excess it causes leg weakness in poultry and also injures larger stock.

—The good quality of the milk, cream and butter, the healthy condition of the cows, and their eager desire to eat ensilage in preference to any other forage, is a standing recommendation for its use.—*Hoard's Dairyman.*

—It is said that wooden posts treated as follows, at a cost of two cents apiece, will last so long that the party adopting the method will not live to see his posts decay: Take boiled linseed oil, and stir in pulverized charcoal to the consistency of paint, and put a coat over the timber.

—It takes nerve, says the *Farmer*, to pull out the stalks from a crowded hill of corn, but doing it secures a better growth, larger ears and more bushels of good shelled corn. It takes nerve to pluck one-half of the young fruit from a bearing tree, but in the end it often secures more perfect fruit and more of it.

—Cultivate your young fruit trees and small fruits the same as you would any other crop on the farm from which you expect to realize a profitable crop. Clean, thorough cultivation is just as important with fruit as with any other crop grown on the farm, and if it be worth setting them out it is surely worth giving them proper attention.

—While the collie dog is a very useful animal when taught to drive sheep and cattle, yet he should never be allowed to chase them or frighten them in any manner. Cows naturally have an aversion to dogs of all kinds, and when they experience fear the effect is such as to injure their milk. Cows should be brought from the pasture leisurely, and in no manner worried or excited.

—Farm horses should be worked steadily. A horse that is kept at regular service, and not overworked, will last much longer than one that is given periods of rest. A good horse should not be fat, but should be in good condition. If fed on nutritious food, there need be no fear of the horse losing flesh if kept at work. The muscles will become hard, and the animal will be better enabled to stand service. Old horses should be given ground grain in preference to that which is whole.

—It is a great advantage in churning cream that for any cause has become very sour, to add to it an equal bulk of water in the churn, and revolve the latter until thoroughly mixed. Then let the churn stand unmoved for an hour or two. The water is then drawn out from beneath the cream, more fresh water at sixty degrees is then added to the cream, which should then be churned. The water removes the excess of acidity and leaves the cream nearer pure.

CULTURED FARMERS.

Why They Are More Successful Than Their Ignorant Neighbors.

An educated farmer, used to reading and study, thought, reasoning, and all the mental culture by which knowledge is gained, has a clearer insight into common things than one whose mind has been uncultivated. We go into the highly-cultivated corn field and see the strong stalks, the deep-green leaves, the great ears which load the plants, and we then pass on to the poor patch in which the farmer has never put a hoe, and we see miserable, stunted plants, yellow and diseased, hidden by a mass of pernicious weeds which take all the nutriment there is in the soil. Is not this a plain picture of two men, one whose mind has been enriched by useful knowledge, while that of the other has been left in ignorance? The one is fruitful of useful thoughts, able to judge well of practical matters; to reach wise conclusions; to curb evil tendencies, to use self-restraint, and to reach the highest aims in life. The other is barren of ideas; believes all the common superstitions of the ignorant; guides his affairs by impulse and not by judgment, has a blind belief in what he thinks he knows, and a scorn for all knowledge gained from books and intelligent study. And which of these two men will make the better farmer.

We were recently in a Southern locality where the farming is the poorest and the farmers as poor as their work, where the wretched cabins for the greater part had no windows, the logs were unchinked, and the "land pike" hogs lay around the mud puddle at the door. There was a school-house which was kept open for a few weeks in the season when there was no farm work doing. The teacher of this school, who was a little above the average, had incidentally remarked to her scholars in regard to the recent eclipse of the moon that the earth was round and moved around the sun and the moon moved around the earth. For this incredible statement the teacher was discharged forthwith, with a caution not to teach such nonsense as that any more, by the barefooted, ragged director, who was the leading authority upon all such questions in the vicinity. This school and its environs matched, and in all cases, bad or good, the school and the farming and the circumstances of the people match, for it is the well-cultivated mind that makes the good and prosperous farmer, and where the clean, neat school-house, the church, the farmers' club, the institute, the agricultural journals and secular newspapers, and the public library are found there will be found a thriving, prosperous community.—*N. Y. Times.*

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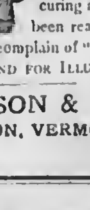

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HOPKINSVILLE, KENTUCKY.

A live and growing city of 8,000 inhabitants, situated in a county of 40,000. The Louisville and Nashville has two lines of railroad in the county and the people have recently voted aid to [illegible] new roads. Largest tobacco growing county in the world. Wheat corn, hay coal, live stock and fruits produced for export in large quantities. The city has four banks with an aggregate capital of $450,000. A planing mill and wagon factory, three carriage factories, lime factory, tobacco manufactory, two foundries, three brickyards, broom factory, steam laundry, ice factory, two large flouring mills in the city and several in the county. Splendid driving park and fine opera house. Five turnpikes centering in Hopkinsville. Building and Loan Association, Commercial Club, a telephone exchange, numbered streets and houses and city lighted by gas. Macadamized streets and brick sidewalks all over the city. Eleven churches, two colleges, a high school and the finest system of public schools, white and colored, in the State. Western Kentucky Lunatic Asylum with a population of [illegible], two miles east of the city. A $100,000 court house with town clock in the dome. A fine fire department and a company of State Guards. Little River furnishes an adequate supply of water for all purposes. Real estate low and rents cheap. Fine opening for woolen mill, pork packing establishment, fruit cannery, tanyard and many other enterprises. Climate mild and invigorating and exceedingly healthful.

Senator Cullom, of Illinois, has been elected for another term.

The Union County Herald, Bob Thomas' new paper, will appear in Caseyville in about two weeks.

Osgoodby, the writer of the Murchison letter, is after an office on the ground of "services rendered."

The Herald says the lack of street lamps, the hogs, the old fogies and aristocrats are killing Russellville.

Harris has a strong lead in the Tennessee Senatorial fight. Harris had 46, Adkins 27, and Savage 9 votes on the first ballot.

The women are gradually coming to the front. There are now in this country 75 female lawyers, 2,192 doctors and 165 preachers.

The Niagara Falls suspension bridge was carried away by the storm of last week. The loss was about $500,000. The bridge will be rebuilt at once.

Seven Mormon missionaries, who were seeking converts near Fayetteville, W. Va, were notified that they would be tarred and feathered unless they left. They departed.

The Princeton Courier has a corps of country correspondents of which it should be proud. The last issue contained ten newsy letters from every section of Caldwell county.

Two large sections of Niagara Falls broke way and fell last week with a noise resembling an earthquake. The effect was to make an angle where the horse-shoe had been.

Owen Brown, son of John Brown, whose body lies mouldering in the tomb, died at Pasadena, Cal, last week, aged 71 years. He was the last survivor of the Harper's Ferry affair.

A father and son have just married sisters in Hardin county and the Elizabethtown News man wants to know what relationship the off-spring of the two couples will bear to each other.

A little colored boy thirteen years old is preaching in Perry county, Ga, and surprising the natives with his eloquence and knowledge of the Scriptures. He draws immense crowds.

The Anchorage Asylum, which was for a number of years run on a very extravagant scale, is now being conducted economically and efficiently under the new Superintendent, Dr. W. J. Byrne.

The editor of the Menefee Courier, at Frenchburg, drops into poetry and gets off the following:

The man who could if he would but won't
Hesitate on his wife a dime
Is the man who would if he could but can't
Get married a second time.

The *Voice*, the Prohibition organ, claims that its mailing list was stolen and delivered to the Republican National Committee during the late campaign, and it threatens to prosecute Quay to Clarkson for receiving stolen goods.

Editor Gaines, of the Clarksville *Progress*, has hit upon a novel plan to increase the population of his town. Instead of advocating large families, like Bonaparte, or holding out inducements to encourage immigration, like the KENTUCKIAN is doing for Hopkinsville, the *Progress* is loudly demanding that the corporate limits be extended far enough to increase the population to 10,000. As the latest census reports show the population of Clarksville to be 3,880 and that of the whole civil district of Clarksville but 7,313, the question very naturally comes up—where is the population to come from? The same authority gives the whole of Montgomery county but 23,481 inhabitants and it will take something more than one-third of these to satisfy this demand of Clarksville, in her eagerness to keep pace with Hopkinsville. Better try some other plan, neighbor. Call a meeting of your old bachelors and remind them that the census of 1890 will soon be taken. If you could get one hundred of them to marry girls in other towns, don't you see how Clarksville would gain a hundred inhabitants. Suppose you set an example of this kind yourself, instead of trying to have half your county incorporated under the name of Clarksville.

A paragraph is going the rounds of the press, credited to a Hopkinsville paper, in which the statement is made that [illegible] ranks ahead of Hopkinsville in the matter of pavements. We doubt if this statement ever appeared in a Hopkinsville paper, but it calls attention to the fact that we have in our midst a class of croakers who can never see any good in Hopkinsville. Nothing ever pleases them, and the streets especially receive their unstinted criticism and the council is continually admonished to pay more attention to street improvements.

These fault-finders who are so fond of complaining about Hopkinsville's streets, simply because some back street has not been metaled or some alley has a few muddy spots in wet weather, ought to live awhile in towns that have no macadamized streets at all. The truth is there is not a city anywhere of 10,000 inhabitants or under that has better streets than Hopkinsville. Nearly every important street in the city is metaled and paved and has good stone crossings. The city expends something like $4,000 a year for street improvements and the result is that our progressive little city has a better system of improved thoroughfares than many cities of 100,000 inhabitants. Don't misrepresent or run down the town because there is a muddy place on some obscure alley. Remember that we have public improvements that are the envy of many less favored cities, and should be the pride of every man in Hopkinsville. Advertise our advantages and not our trivial faults that a few dollars will correct.

Berea College, near Richmond, Ky., is an institution where both sexes whites and blacks, are mingled together in one school, without social distinction. Most of the students are colored, but a few whites from the mountain sections of the state and from other states are attending the school this year. Last week ten white boys separated themselves and established a white table in the dining room. A colored boy undertook to appropriate one of the ten seats and eat with the white boys, which brought on a serious row, later in the day, which at one time threatened to lead to bloodshed. The matter was finally referred to the faculty who ruled that the colored boy should hold the disputed seat, as the principles of the school forbade any distinction of a social character.

The Supreme Court of West Virginia has sustained the claim of Goff, Republican, to the Governorship, by deciding that the disputed Kanawha district should be counted, which elects him by 106 majority. The State Senate has been unorganized pending this action of the courts.

The Somerset Republican, like the Paducah Standard, resolves with the new year to follow the example set by the KENTUCKIAN and pay less attention to politics and more to business.

Walker Blaine, son of Jas. G. Blaine, broke his leg while alighting from a cab in Washington, Saturday.

Mrs. Sarah Jane Whiteling will be hanged at Philadelphia March 27, for the murder of her two children.

A Costly Dress.

A prominent member of the Pete Baker company, to appear at the Opera House on the 21st, is Mrs. Baker, who retains on the stage her maiden name, Miss Marie Morosini. As a matter of special interest to lady readers the fact is noted that the costumes of the Baker troupe are said to have cost over $10,000, and among the rich and beautiful dresses worn by the ladies of the company is one of Miss Morosini's, which the Chicago Times describes as follows:

"It was faille, surah and lace. The trimming was of shaded roses, without leaves, arranged as a fringe, with a plastron of roses on the corsage. The color is in the new French shade, called pure de poise. Laced flounces form the front of the jupon, and a bouquet of roses to the left fixes the drapery of the second flounce. A silk skirt, made as a redingote, opens over the front. The back is a kind of princess robe, folded towards the hip in an irregular series of shells. The bodice is cut in a V shape and hooks beneath the plastron. The fronts open over the plastron and are carried to the waist with several big lace shells, drawn to the figure by a sash draped in surah. The sash falls on both sides and is finished by roses. The sleeves are short and bouffante, with a fringe of roses."

MATRIMONIAL.

TANDY—HICKMAN.

This afternoon at 4:15 o'clock Mr. Wm. T. Tandy, of the City Bank, and Miss Mattie Hickman, youngest daughter of Dr. L. B. Hickman, will be married at the bride's home on Sixteenth street. Rev. W. L. Nourse, of the Ninth street Presbyterian Church, will perform the ceremony. Only a limited number of intimate friends and near relatives will be present. The newly married couple will immediately take the 5 o'clock train for Northern Kentucky, where they will spend a week visiting relatives of the bride. Upon returning they will board at Dr. Hickman's until Mr. Tandy can build a residence upon his handsome lot on the corner of Clay and Sixteenth streets.

Saturday's Nashville American: "Mr. France Riley and Miss Lizzie Muir, of Hopkinsville, Ky., were married in the Maxwell House parlors yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock by Rev. Mr. Sewell. Miss Nannie Barnes, of Hopkinsville, accompanied them here." The parties above mentioned are from Allensville instead of Hopkinsville.

Marriage Licenses.

W. A. Knight to F. A. Bishop.
Jno. G. Arnold to Blanche Williams.

COLORED.

Jno. W. Jackson to Donie Caskey.
Harry Oldham to Georgia Brame.

NEW TOBACCO EXCHANGE.

A Much Needed Building Which Should Soon Be Built.

A leading broker and member of the Commercial Club, impressed with the present importance of the Hopkinsville tobacco market, and with the belief that the arrival of the Ohio Valley railroad will make a large and productive territory a feeder of this market, suggests the erection of a handsome, substantial and commodious Tobacco Exchange to meet the wants of warehousemen, brokers and farmers; a building whose dimensions and general aspect should be more in keeping with the handsome store-houses on Main street, and with the local market of the largest dark tobacco growing county in the Union. At a recent meeting of the Commercial Club the suggested improvement was the subject of an earnest and protracted conversation and received a hearty and unanimous approval. It is commended to the public as an enterprise deserving to be pushed to completion.

The tobacco market of Hopkinsville has long since outgrown the humble little frame structure on Clay street. Every warehouseman and broker is ashamed of the narrow quarters in which he is cribbed during sales, and where the waiting farmer has, if possible, still fewer conveniences—that is if there can be a comparison of conveniences in a house which has no convenience for anybody. The least one can say of the old frame Exchange is that it is far behind the times, has outlived its usefulness and is become an eyesore to the flourishing tobacco market of Hopkinsville. There are now six warehouses here having a good present trade and an excellent prospect for a largely increased business within the next twelve months. With the addition of a large and fertile territory to their field of operation they may confidently hope for a trade exceeding the most sanguine expectations of the founders of this market, and reaching an aggregate of millions of dollars, controlled not by visionary speculation and hazardous advances, but by the inducements of safe and judicious business.

The new Exchange should be a spacious and handsome brick structure, having ample accommodations in its sale room for warehousemen, brokers, samples, and for planters and others attending the sales. The room should be complete in all its appointments and arrangements, with comfortable seats for all, well lighted, warmed and ventilated, a pleasant and inviting resort for the farmers where they can sit at ease and watch the course of the market without weariness. It should be the planters' club room, shelter and general rendezvous during business hours.

Besides the sale room the new Exchange should contain a number of offices for brokers, which would be a source of income to the company. It was suggested that a well-kept lunch room would be well patronized by visitors wanting a dime sandwich or a quarter lunch. All these rooms would command good paying tenants.

The cost of such a building is a proper subject for careful business consideration. It would be a mistake to be either niggardly or extravagant in such an enterprise. A lofty air-castle one half of which would be empty rooms, might be fair for those to look at who were not called on to pay for it.

There is no reason, however, to doubt that a moderate percentage on the actual tobacco trade of this market would, with judicious arrangement build a handsome Exchange. Nor is there any doubt that such a building would be a splendid advertising card to invite business. It would be a handsome recognition by the city of the importance of the trade, and the country would be sure to respond as it does to the advertisement which the mercantile trade has built up in the elegant store houses on Main street. These beautiful structures with their costly plate glass show windows invite trade in dry goods and other merchandise. The invitation would be just as powerful in the proportions of a building where the crops are sold which supply so large a part of the funds for the general trade. If to the tobacco crop was added the wheat crop in a general produce exchange the aggregate trade would reach several millions of dollars.

Let the watchword be a new Tobacco Exchange. Our tobacco friends in town and county should at once discuss the project and put it in shape for action. Nothing is wanting but the determination to have this great improvement. The ability and means are at hand. Perhaps it would be more accurate to say that nothing is wanting but the leadership of a few enterprising men to consummate the scheme. This consummation would of itself be a guarantee of the erection of several other greatly needed buildings and general improvements. Roll on the ball.

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Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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KENTUCKY KNOWLEDGE.

There are 23,000 pensioners in Kentucky.

Chas. Meacham has been elected city Marshal of Hickman.

The new Deposit Bank, Glasgow, is now open for business.

A colored boy named Ben Lewis was killed by a train at Lebanon.

Mrs. Maria Moore, aged 38, was found dead in her bed at Newport.

Maysville union cigar-makers are on a strike because of a reduction in wages.

A party of Louisville capitalists have purchased the Bowling Green gas works.

The Elizabethtown News is working for the organization of a Commercial Club.

Hickman has just voted $50,000 stock to the Paducah and Hickman railroad.

J. E. Suloff was killed at Rochester by the breaking of a telegraph pole, which he was climbing.

Judge Barr has sentenced 19 moonshiners during the present session of federal court at Frankfort.

Jas. Childress, aged 72, and Mrs. Elizabeth Caruthers, aged 68, were married at Loveleceville last week.

Fifteen out of 21 applicants for teachers certificates in Pulaski county failed to pass the examination.

Mrs. Carrie Jewell, of Nelson county, was burned to death from the turning over of a coal oil lamp.

Mrs. Nelly Marshall McAfee will lecture in Louisville Jan. 23 on the subject "Is Marriage a failure."

The Jackson Hustler has made its appearance. It is the first paper ever published in Breathitt County. John Goff is the editor.

Miss Louisa Snyder, near Owensboro, was shot by a little girl who playfully pointed an unloaded (?) pistol at her.

The Frenchburg Courier proposes to make out a black list of its delinquent subscribers and give it to the public Feb. 1st.

The Louisville & Nashville railroad paid $2,000 for the woman and boy killed in the Bardstown Junction accident, and $1,525 for injuring Miss Ida Adams.

Dick Miller, col., assaulted Miss Amanda Fore, of Wingo. He was jailed and a mob has made two attempts to take him from the jailer. The jail is guarded.

The dead body of a newly born infant was found in a well near Franklin. Suspicion rested on "a certain young lady" but nothing was proven at the inquest.

Chas. Smith, a Hawesville desperado, shot and killed Chas. Bartlett, the colored porter of the steamer Geo. Stricker, near Cannelton. The officers of the boat arrested Smith.

Ed Stark was killed in a peculiar manner while hunting in Meade county. While blowing in the muzzle of his gun, his dog came up wagging, his tail with which he struck the trigger, discharging the gun. The top of Stark's head was blown off, and death was instantaneous.

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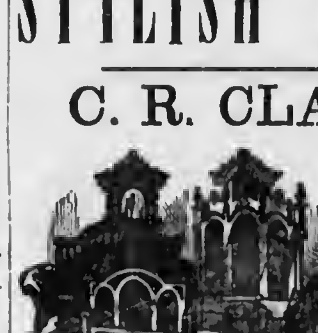

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And springtime coming ere winter has begun!
What glorious climate have we come to see?
Where is a hatter, beneath the shining sun?

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Otho Anderson visited St. Louis last week.

Mrs. J. M. Hester has returned from Clarksville.

Harry Frazier, Birmingham, was in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Lander, Cerulean, were in the city Saturday.

Miss Willie Blythe is visiting Miss Rosa Harris in Louisville.

Miss Mary Clark has returned from a two weeks' visit to Nashville, Ill.

Hon. J. A. McKenzie and Mr. Joe Teer, Oak Grove, were in town Saturday.

Will Hickman, Cedartown, Ga., is here to attend the wedding of his sister.

Miss Ida Williams, Russellville, is visiting her sister, Mrs. T. W. Hillman.

Dr. Seargent went to Crofton yesterday to make a professional visit to Dr. Jackson.

A. L. Wilson starts out on the road this week as drummer for the cigar house of R. M. Wall & Co.

Mr. Henry Barrett, of Columbia, Tenn., spent Sunday in the city with his girl. When will it come off Henry?

Mrs. Stanley Brown, after a visit to her daughter, Mrs. E. H. Bassett, returned to Louisville last Saturday.

Mrs. Mattie Walker, of Columbia, Tenn., returned home Sunday after spending several weeks with her sister, Mrs. M. L. McClure.

Mr. Kinley Twyman is out again after having been badly hurt by falling from a housetop. He has not yet recovered the use of one hand.

Miss Minnie Sallee, of Hopkinsville, a charming lady, is now on a visit to Dr. J. A. Miller's family. Our society young gents should see that she is highly entertained.—Caldwell Courier.

CREAM OF THE NEWS.

The O. V. Road Coming.

The engineers of the Ohio Valley Railroad are coming ahead with the work of permanently locating the line between here and Princeton. The road will run very nearly on the same line made on the first survey for the first half of the distance after leaving Princeton. It has been re-surveyed and located to the Peter Baker place, two miles this side of Cerulean and thirteen miles from this city. It leaves Cerulean two miles to the north and comes through the lands of R. S. Lander on the west side of the road at or near where it turns to the north at the Baker place, now owned by H. W. Harned. It then runs with the county road to the L. & N. line, about half a mile this side, which it will cross in a cut by trestling twenty-one feet above the track. This side of the L. & N. it is understood that the first route will be changed a good deal. The line will probably be located this week and will very likely go nearer Belleview than the former survey, which was about two or three miles. Of course the question of right of way will cut some figure as the road nears this city and lands become more valuable. About one thousand yards of the road out of Princeton has been graded and the work will be put through without delay if the favorable weather continues. A recent letter from a gentleman in New York, who is posted in the matter, says the attempt of a few dissatisfied parties in this county to question the legality of the late election, will not in any way affect the plans of the O. V. Company to complete the road as early as possible.

Turnpike Stock.

The Board of Directors of the Christian County Union Turnpike Company held a meeting Friday night and decided to issue certificates of stock to those subscribers who had paid the calls made up to date, amounting to 50 per cent. The certificates will be of the par value of $25 per share, and are now being issued by the Secretary, Mr. S. C. Mercer.

The work of construction has been suspended and no more calls will be made for the present.

Thirteen and one-third miles of pike have been constructed and three neat toll houses with residences have been built. The Fairview pike, 8½ miles, is one of the best roads in the State, and the Palmyra pike will soon be in the same good condition.

The Pole Taken Down.

The Cleveland pole was taken down Saturday under the direction of Councilman Radford. It will be used by the city for kindling wood. About 1,500 feet of lumber was used in the construction of the pole, which was about two feet in diameter at the base and 114 feet long.

Killed in Caldwell.

A Caldwell county farmer was thrown from his buggy while returning from Princeton Saturday and was so badly injured that he lived but a short while. His name was Henry Adamson.

The Supervisors.

Messrs. R. M. Anderson, R. Y. Pendleton, G. R. Pierce, V. C. Clark and J. M. P'Pool, the board of tax supervisors, are still in session, this being the ninth day.

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Miss Hennie Stevens has completed the life-size pictures of Past-Chancellors A. H. Clark and H. H. Abernathy for Evergreen Lodge, Knights of Pythias. There are fourteen others to be painted.

THIS AND THAT.

Ross A Rogers' livery stable, Fritz's old stand.*

B. F. Wood, of Pembroke, is the father of a new boy.

Mr. Frazier Owen, Jr., is quite sick at his home at Kelly.

Go to A. G. Bush for boots and shoes and save money*.

The January draft of common school money has come.

Look out for the eclipse of the moon at 10:30 to-morrow night.

Mr. S. H. Claggett has four fresh milk cows for sale, low down.

W. B Brewer, the Fairview grocer, has sold out to E D. Humphrey.

Mr. J. P. Glass has again been stricken with paralysis at Owensboro.

Miss Cora Petree entertained a number of young people one evening last week.

Lard has declined from $7 72 per hundred to $7 32, in Chicago, since Saturday.

May wheat dropped to $1 00½ Saturday but was quoted in Chicago yesterday at $1.01⅛.

Not a single arrest was made in Clarksville last week. This often happens in small places.

Mose West and Dave Wiley, late rival candidates for sheriff, attended church together Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman McComb, of Pembroke, celebrated the 25th anniversary of their wedding on the 12th inst.

In our last issue the types made us say that Wilson Bros, Gracey, had failed for $13,000 It should have been $3,000

Messrs. Garnett & McComb, of Pembroke, are delivering, 40,000 bushels of wheat sold to the Crescent Mills of this city.

A school entertainment was given at Kelly's Station Saturday evening The schools of Profs. Holt and Rogers both participated.

Mr. J. W. Downer delivered a lecture on "Nathaniel Hawthorne" before the Roberts Burns Wilson club, of Elkton, last Tuesday night.

Drs. Jackson and Hendricks, of Crofton, are both quite ill and Dr Rowe, the other local doctor, has his hands full attending to the sick.

Miss Susie Reynolds, of Pembroke, while riding on a load of straw with a little baby brother in her arms, was thrown off and had her arm broken near the elbow. The baby was not hurt.

The L & N. road will this week discontinue the regular passenger trains on the Clarksville & Princeton branch and attach a caboose to the freight trains, which will run daily each way.

Rev J. W. Higham leaves this week for Moberly, Mo, to engage in a protracted meeting. He will be gone three weeks and during his absence Rev. T. H. Shaw will fill his appointments for him at Hebron and Vaughan's Chapel.

L. M. Cox Lodge, F. A. M. at Crofton, has installed the following corps of new officers: J. M. Clark W. M.; Geo. W. Davis, S. W.; L. J. Brown, J. W.; E. R Gray, Treas.; V. C. Clark, Sec; R. L Melton, S D.; B. F. Fuller, J. D.; W. H. Sizemore, S. & T.

Evergreen Lodge, No. 38, K of P is just now on a boom. Five applicants have been voted worthy and are now on the road to Knighthood. A celebration is contemplated on Feb. 19, the anniversary of the order, when a number of neighboring lodges will be invited and the third rank conferred on the candidates whose petitions have lately been acted upon. No lodge in the State can do finer work in the Knight's rank than Evergreen. An effort will also be made to have Knight J. G Joseph, of Clarksville, come over on that occasion and confer his beautiful and impressive fourth degree upon those who have never taken it

Some of the accounts sent to the daily papers in regard to the unfortunate tragedy which cost young Dick Gary his life, were shameless misrepresentations. One of these not only made it a case of suicide, but went farther and assigned disappointment in love and quarrels with his father as probable causes. A little more of truth and a little less of the sensational, as well as a little more care in collecting facts, would result in more reliable news being sent out and greater justice done to parties concerned. Young Gary's death was purely accidental and it is hard enough for his parents to bear without having the matter given to the public in a false light by reckless and irresponsible reporters.

Henry J. Stites has received the appointment of attorney for the L. & N. Railroad at this place. The L. & N. Company always employs the highest order of legal ability to manage its affairs and this selection is a great compliment to Mr. Stites. who is yet under thirty years of age. He has been practicing law for seven years and is justly regarded as one of the most promising young attorneys in this district. Though young in years he has devoted his time to close study and is one of the best informed and most extensively read lawyers in Hopkinsville. With a strong mind well stored with legal knowledge and possessing the happy faculty of being a close reasoner and at the same time a fluent and convincing speaker, his prospects for future success are of the brightest. His numerous friends will congratulate him upon securing this appointment from the L & N Company, which could not have been bestowed upon one who would strive harder to merit the honor conferred. The term is for an indefinite length of time and the position is one of a very lucrative character.

A GARRETTSBURG KILLING.

Newton Helm Kills Beauregard Starket Sunday Afternoon.

Newton Helm, col, shot and killed Beauregard Starket, col., at Garrettsburg Sunday afternoon. The killing occurred on Esq. John H. White's farm, where Helm lived, and the circumstances as detailed to a Kentuckian representative make it a clear case of justifiable homicide. About two weeks ago Starket went to Helm's house in Helm's absence and cursed and denounced the latter's wife and children and wound up by telling them that he intended to kill Helm on sight. The origin of this first trouble could not be learned.

Sunday afternoon Starket again visited Helm's house, appearing at the gate with a cocked pistol in his hand. Helm was at home and ordered Starket not to come into the yard, but the latter continued to advance, when Helm fired upon him with a gun inflicting a fatal wound. Starket stood for a few moments with his pistol in his hand, after being shot, and then fell and expired. The dead man was the aggressor, and if the version of the affair received be correct, was altogether to blame. Helm surrendered himself and his trial will be held before the local magistrates to-day. County Attorney Payne will be on hand to represent the Commonwealth.

CROSSED OVER.

List of Those Who Have Entered Death's Dark Valley Since Friday.

Cornelia Green, the bright little twelve-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs Jno. R. Green, Belleview, died Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, of erysipelas of the face and throat She had been a great sufferer for ten days. She was a child of much sweetness of disposition and purity of heart. Until she was taken sick, she had boarded in the city with her aunt, Mrs. Wm. Cowan, and attended school at Bethel Female College, where she was a favorite with both teachers and pupils. The stricken parents are overwhelmed with grief at the loss of their first-born, whom they almost idolized. The funeral was preached at the residence yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock and the remains buried at the family graveyard, at Mr. J. C. Moore's.

Mrs. A. S. Hays, wife of the Ninth Street meat man, died Saturday evening, the 12th inst, of cholera morbus She was about 40 years of age. The body was taken to Nashville for interment the following day.

Mrs. Mattie Johnson, wife of W. L. Johnson, died at 7 o'clock, p m, Sunday last, at her home on Jesup Avenue. She leaves a babe three weeks old. The remains were buried at the family burying ground near Cerulean Springs, yesterday afternoon.

CITY COURT NEWS.

Several Arrest and More than $50 in Fines.

Mollie Barnett, col, street walking Fined $2 50 and costs, Friday.

Mildred Davis, col, Breach of Peace. Fined $5 and costs, Friday.

Morris Frazier, col, Breach of Peace. Fined $5 and costs, Friday.

Dudley Cayse, col., c. c. d. w. Trial set for to-morrow.

Alex Wharton, col., shooting in city limits. Fined $5 00 and costs, Monday.

Gid Brame was arrested Friday for fast riding. He was halted by Policeman West on Main Street, who seized his horse by the bridle, pulled Brame from the horse and took a pistol from his pocket in less time than it takes to tell it. He was taken into court at once and fined $25 for carrying a concealed weapon and $10 for fast riding. He paid the fines with costs and went home.

Bud Dobson, col, got into a row with some colored women at the old ice factory late Thursday night and a disturbance was raised. One of the women called "police," and officers West and Twyman being in hearing arrived just as Dobson ran away They gave chase and after firing several shots over him he lay down on the ground frightened half to death and was taken in. The women were arrested the following day.

OPERA HOUSE.

"Pete" Baker the greatest of them all comes next Monday Jan. 21st for one night only.

The Louisville Courier Journal: —Pete Baker drew two packed houses at Harris' theatre yesterday in "The Emigrant." The play is well known and needs no description. Pete was was himself—that is to say he was as clever as ever in his impersonations of the German emigrant, and his singing was received with great manifestations of pleasure. His character of Aunt Jemima, an old negro woman, was especially clever. Little Grace Euler received a warm welcome, and performed her part remarkably well, She is something of a phenomenon, being not seven years of age, but, as graceful as many who have had more training than she has numbered years.

Real Estate Transfers.

W. E Embry to Dennis Bagwell, 40 acres	$ 900
Elizabeth Wilson to J. M. Corley, 85 acres	300
C. D Bell & W. Henry, Exs. to G. H. Merritt, 21 acres	175
Abner Henry to Jas. A. Boyd, 50 acres	867
E. D. Jones to J H Cayce, 182 acres	5,600
TOWN LOTS	
Callis & Co, to Rufus Lynch, Hopkinsville	450
W. S. Templeton to W. R. Thompson, Hopkinsville	75
Total	$8,367

RELIGIOUS.

Sunday's Services At The Hopkinsville Churches.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH—No regular preaching, owing to the absence of the pastor, though services were held at the usual hours.

METHODIST CHURCH—Pastor absent. Morning services by Rev. Thos. Bottomley. No services at night.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Preaching by the rector, Rev. J. W. Venable, at 11 and 3 o'clock. Morning subject, "The New Year."

BAPTIST CHURCH—Services as usual by the pastor, "Simon Bearing Christ's Cross." Evening subject, "Proofs of Christianity." Young men's meeting at 3 o'clock. Two converts were baptized after prayer meeting Wednesday night.

CUMBERLAND CHURCH — Services as usual by the pastor. Morning subject, "To the Uttermost." Evening, "Bring Hither Thy Son." A protracted meeting is now in progress in which the pastor is assisted by Rev. H. F. Perry. Services every evening at 7 o'clock.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. — Services by the pastor. Morning subject, "The work of the Lord." Evening, "Uplifted Eye and Heart," (continued).

NINTH ST. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH —Preaching morning and evening by the pastor. Christian Endeavor Society at 6 p. m.

UNION PRAYER MEETING—The union services of the week of prayer were concluded at the Baptist Church Saturday night.

COLORED.

VIRGINIA ST BAPTIST CHURCH—Services morning and evening by the pastor, Rev. E Williams.

C. M. E. CHURCH—Services morning and evening by the pastor, Rev Mitchell.

MAIN ST. BAPTIST CHURCH—Preaching at 2 p m. by Rev. W. F Silcey. Subject, "Self Examination.' At 7:30 p. m, on' Development of Young Christian Men." Sacrament administered at afternoon service.

Music and Art.

At the beginning of the second term of the current session, we take pleasure in calling the attention of our friends and the public to the superior advantages offered in the Music and Art Departments of South Kentucky College. Our new teacher in these departments unites native genius and unusual taste to the most thorough instruction under the best masters. To all those who would like to pursue these most refining and delightful studies and who favor us with their patronage, we guarantee satisfaction. Friends and all, whether desiring to take lessons or not, are cordially invited to come to her Art receptions, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, (Jan. 17, 18 and 19) at from 3 to 5 o'clock p m, when specimens of her work will be on exhibition, at the College, and, when she will be happy to see them, should they be pleased to call.

JAMES E SCOBEY, Prest.

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Remember,
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Ounces—12 pounds of the finest Granulated Sugar for $1 00 at CHAS. McKEE & CO'S, THE GROCERS.

SPRINKLING.

I will at the proper time begin sprinkling the streets as heretofore. Thanking my old patrons for past favors I solicit a renewal of their patronage and of all of the business men of the city, who know that my work has always been satisfactory.
J. W. CLIBORNE

The Blumensteil

Carriage Co.. are now prepared to do all kinds of Painting and Rebuilding Buggies, etc., in firstclass style and at the very lowest figures, for the best work. All we ask is a trial and we will show you that we are prepared to do it in the best style possible.

FOR BARGAINS

In goods call and see the assignment stock at M. D. MENDEL'S.

CONSUMPTION CURED.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hand by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. NOYES, 149 Power's Block, Rochester, N. Y.

SPECIAL LOCALS.

Cabinet Photographs $3 00 per doz. at Anderson's gallery.

The Largest

Lot of new vehicles, in the city which will be sold very low for the Cash. Remember this is all our own make of work, and is guaranteed fully, by us, to be superior to any made in this section of the country. The prices at which we are offering this work enable any one to buy a first class home-made buggy; don't fail to give us a call before buying, as we are satisfied you can be suited. Blumensteil Carriage Co.

Don't Wait!

The Great Mark down Sale is now on at M. Frankel & Sons.

LOADED DOWN.

That's what's the matter—We've got enough CORN, TOMATOES and OYSTERS to stock the town and GO THEY MUST. C. McKEE & CO, THE GROCERS.

Goods are being sacrificed at the Great Mark Down Sale of M. Frankel & Sons.

A SNAP.

3 Cans Full Weight Tomatoes for 25 cents at C. McKEE & CO, THE GROCERS.

Come at once or you will miss the bargains we are now offering.
M. Frankel & Sons.

FOR RENT.

The farm owned by R. P. Owsley, and on which the late W. N. Childress lived last year For terms apply to R. P. Owsley, P. O Hopkinsville or Beverly.

Just rec'd the largest and best stock of Stationery ever brought to the city.
Wyly & Burnett.

"THE JEWELER."

W. H. Tovey, "The Jeweler" of the city, is now located in Buckner Leavell's Drug Store, where he is prepared to do any and all kinds of Jewelry Repairing at short notice and in a satisfactory manner, at reasonable rates.

REMEMBER!

Richards & Green keep a well selected stock of fresh and reliable groceries and are prepared to sell as low as anyone.

Pocket Books, Memoranda Books and the prettiest lot of Toilet Articles just in at
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All goods will be sacrificed. No reserve. Everything goes at the Great
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A Large Stock of Chewing and Smoking Tobacco. Also a fine line of Cigars at Richards & Green's.

REMOVAL.

We have moved our stock of Groceries next door to N. B. Shyer's, South Main street, where we can be found in future with a full line of these goods. Call and see us.
M. S. PERKINS & CO.

Richards & Green respectfully solicit your trade. Good goods at living prices Call on us.

FITS—All Fits stopped free by Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. No Fits after first day's use. Marvellous cures. Treatise and $2 00 trial bottle free to fit cases. Send to Dr. Kline, 931 Arch St., Phila. Pa.

PUBLIC SALE.

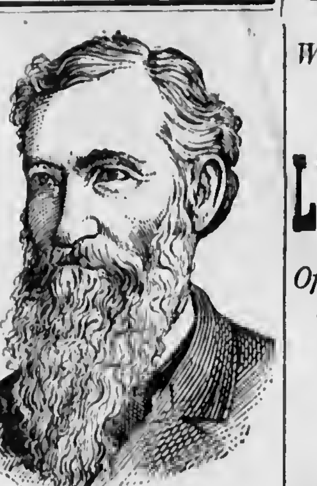
I will sell at public auction on Tuesday, Jan. 22, at the Owsley farm near Beverly, the partnership property of R P. Owsley and the late W. N Childress, consisting of 5 good work mules, 2 wagons, 2 drills, 1 mower, 1 binder, 200 bbls. corn, 11 head of cattle, 40 head of stock hogs, 15,000 lbs. tobacco and farming implements of all kinds Terms made known on day of sale. I. N. Childress, Adm.
R. P. Owsly, Surviving Partner.
Jan. 11, 1889.

Our mark Down sale will be a Hummer and a Stunner. Look out for us.
M. Frankel & Sons.

SPECIAL LOCALS.

LAST NOTICE.

Parties knowing themselves indebted to me must come forward and settle their accounts at once, or they will be placed in the hands of an officer for collection I am in need of money and am forced to make this positive request. Those who settle with me soon will save costs.
JARED HAWKINS.



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Will visit Hopkinsville at the PHOENIX HOTEL, SATURDAY, Jan. 12th, from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., ONE DAY ONLY., and return every four weeks next year.

DR. FORSHEE was a Surgeon in the late war, and has devoted his life to the study of Diseases of Women and the Rectom and Deformities. He comes prepared to perform any operation, and will give $1,000 for a case he fails to cure

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Suffering from Spermatorrea from errors in youth, or excess in matured years, and other causes, producing some of the following effects: Blotches, debility, nervousness, dizziness, confusion of ideas, aversion to society, defective memory and exhaustion, which unfits the victim for business or marriage, are permanently cured by remedies not injurious.

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Syphilis, and complications, as sore throat, falling of hair, pain in the bones, eruptions, &c, are perfectly eradicated without using mercury or other injurious drugs. GONORRHEA, Gleet, Stricture and Urinary and Kidney troubles are specially cured by treatment that has never failed.

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420 5th Ave. LOUISVILLE, KY.
Dec. 28 1t

STRAY.

Taken up as estray by A. J. Gregory, living near Church Hill, Ky., on the Cox's Mill Road about 8 miles south of Hopkinsville, One Brown Cow aged about five years and appraised at ten dollars Witness my hand and seal this 15th of December 1888
S. B. YOUNGLOVE, J. P. C. C.

STATEMENT OF THE CITY BANK

At the close of Business,

OF HOPKINSVILLE, KY.

DECEMBER 31st, 1888.

RESOURCES.

Notes and Bills Discounted	$151,818 35
Debts in suit	460 84
Banking House and Fixtures	7,100 00
Cash and Sight Exchange	105,523 08
	$261,803 27

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	$ 60,000 00
Surplus Fund	40,000 10
Undivided Profits	2,811 22
Individual Deposits	154 495 79
Due to Banks	4,424 23
Set aside to pay tax	100 00
Dividend No. 16 unpaid	872 00
" " 17, this day	2,400 00
	$264,803 27

No unclaimed Deposits remaining over five years.
E. B LONG, Cashier.

Sworn to before me, this 31st day of December, 1888,
T. W. LONG, Not. Pub. C. C.

S. E. TRICE, Pres. W. L. TRICE, Cash'r.
J. D. RUSSELL, V.P. J. B. TRICE, Ass't Cash'r.

STATEMENT OF THE Planters Bank

OF HOPKINSVILLE, KY.

DECEMBER 31st, 1888.

RESOURCES.

Notes and Bills Discounted	$183,070 57
Sight Exchange	32,070 73
Office Furniture	2,806 25
Real Estate for Debt	1,827 16
Stocks and Bonds	1,000 00
Cash on hand	61,088 87
	$285,774 68

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in	$ 85,000 00
Individual Deposits	181,076 17
Due other Banks	2,598 51
Dividend No. 28, this day	3,400 00
Surplus Fund	13,800 00
	$285,774 68

W. L. TRICE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this December 31st, 1888.
IRA L. SMITH, Notary Public.

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MONDAY,

Return of the Popular Comedian,

Pete Baker.

PRICES; Reserved Seats, 50 and 75c. According to location, Gallery, - - 25c.

—IN THE— FUNNIEST COMEDY on the road.

The Emigrant.

Seats at Galbreath's Friday, Jan. 18th.
COMING:—The Boy Tramp.

Excelsior Planing Mills
AND
Wagon Factory!

We desire to say to the People of Christian County and Adjoining Counties that our stock of

LUMBER, ROUGH & DRESSED,

Of all kinds is full and complete in every department. We are prepared to furnish on short notice any and all kinds of Material used in building. In Builders Hardware and Farmers Hardware we show a nice assortment.
OUR LINES OF

Buggies, Phaetons, Surreys
AND ROAD CARTS,

Harness for Buggies, Wagons, &c., of all styles and varieties. We sell the

Homestead Fertilizers
For Tobacco, Corn and Wheat.

Also the Thompson & Edwards "Old Standard" pure bone fertilizers, "the best goods bring the best results." Have complete line of first-class farm machinery of all kinds.

All goods at prices as Low as can be found, Quality Considered.

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GRANGE
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CLARKSVILLE, - - TENN.

Respectfully solicits the patronage of farmers and dealers in tobacco throughout Christian and adjoining counties. Careful and prompt attention to all business entrusted to us and all orders executed on shortest notice. We have the best and most commodious house in the West, insuring plenty of room, and this enables us to dispatch business promptly.

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NAT GAITHER, Manager. J. K. GANT, Salesman.

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YOUR ATTENTION
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WHEN IN CLARKSVILLE
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Arlington Drug Store,

E. R. BOGARD, Proprietor, - - - - CLARKSVILLE, TENN.
8-10-6m.

H. H. ABERNATHY. GEO. C. LONG.

Abernathy & Long,
CENTRAL
TOBACCO WAREHOUSE!
HOPKINSVILLE, KY.

All consignments of Tobacco will receive our personal attention both in Sampling and Selling. Rooms and Stables for Drivers and Teams.
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Caldwell & Randle,
—MANUFACTURERS OF—
GALVANIZED IRON, CORNICE, WINDOW CAPS,
CRESTING, ROOFING, GUTTERING AND OUTSIDE WORK A SPECIALTY.
—AND DEALERS IN—
Tinware, Glassware, Queensware, Cutlery and Lamps.
Ninth St. Hopkinsville, Ky.

Hard features every bungler can command;
To draw true beauty shows a master's hand.
—Dryden.

THE outline illustrations of the Ivory Soap advertisements have created so much favorable comment, and the requests for copies been so numerous, we have, to meet the demand, bound in the form of a Drawing and Painting Book (size 6 x 9 inches) twenty-four of the most spirited and pleasing of the advertisements. We will send one of these books with a pad of twenty-four sheets of drawing paper, post paid, to any one who will mail us, according to directions below, fifteen Ivory Soap wrappers.

Procter & Gamble, Cincinnati.

FOLLOW THESE DIRECTIONS.

Cut out the center piece of each wrapper and put them in the envelope with your letter, saying what you want, and give your address in full. *No attention will be paid to requests for Drawing Books, etc., unless the center pieces are in the envelope with the request.*

Hopkinsville Kentuckian.

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Subscribers to the South Kentuckian will be given the benefit of the following cheap club rates with other papers and periodicals:

S. K. and Daily Courier-Journal	$12 00
" " Weekly " "	3 00
" " " Commercial	3 00
" " " Farmer's Home Journal	3 10
" " " Home and Farm	2 75
" " Daily N. Y. World	7 50
" " Semi-Weekly "	3 00
" " Detroit Free Press	2 85
" " Peterson's Magazine	3 10
" " Godey's Lady's Book	3 50
" " Demorest's Monthly	3 60
" " Leslie's Popular Monthly	4 00
" " Cottage Hearth	2 80
" " Youth's Companion, Boston	3 50
" " Harper's Magazine	5 10
" " Harper's Weekly	5 30
" " Harper's Bazar	5 30
" " Young People	3 30

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One inch one time, $1.00; one week, $1.50; six months, $9.00; twelve months, $15.00.
One column one time, $12.00; one week $18.00; six months, $96.00; twelve months, $150.00.
For further information apply for card of rates.

THE BRIDE REFUSED.

A Claude Melnotte Sort of Groom Who Failed to Wed.

The afternoon papers were mistaken yesterday in that the prospective bride of W. R. Harris, the Grayson street grocer, did not put in her appearance Wednesday night. She came, she saw and—she left. The ornamentation of the elegant parlors of the corner grocery had strained the resources of decorative art. Festoons of onions, interspersed with large, rosy winter apples (from the top of the barrel) hung from the ceiling. Fragrant cheeses framed in sardine cans hung as plaques upon the walls, while porticies of coffee-sacking fell gracefully before the doors and windows. The wire case over the limberger was left hospitably open, a fresh barrel of crackers was rolled out from behind the counter, and no effort was spared to make the festive occasion rest forever a green spot in the memory of the elite of Grayson street. Arrayed in a masterpiece of sartorial art and surpassed in elegance of costume only by his best man, Mr. Alford Peyton, the well-known attorney, the bridegroom awaited the coming of his blushing bride. At last the Widow Oliver, of Springfield, appeared. But, alas, it was too evident that the amorous grocer had been doing the Claude Melnotte act by mail. She was not satisfied with the appearance of he future home, and with a disdainful "Hump! This don't suit me," she left her intended husband in divorced blessedness and took the first train back to Springfield.—Louisville Commercial.

Why They Lend.

Dr. Pierce's medicines outsell all others because of their possessing such superior curative properties as to warrant their manufacturers in supplying them to the people (as they are doing through all druggists) on such conditions as no other medicines are sold under, viz: that they shall either benefit or cure the patient, or all money paid for them will be refunded. The "Golden Medical Discovery" is specific for catarrh and all bronchial, throat and lung diseases, if taken in time and given a fair trial. Money will be refunded if it does not benefit or cure.

Dr. Pierce's Pellets—gently laxative or actively cathartic according to dose. 25 cents.

No Leap Year in 1900.

Although the year 1900 will be divisible by four without a remainder, it will not be leap year. Twelve years must elapse before the interesting event takes place, but it was just the same in 1000 and 1700, but not in 1600, for that was leap year, and the year 2000 will be a leap year also. To explain in detail would be a tiresome task, but it rests on the principle that a difference of 11 minutes per day exists between actual time and calendar time. Thus a year is computed at 365¼ days, 3 years being 365 days long and the fourth year 366 days. In fact the year is 365 days 5 hours and 45 minutes long, or 11 minutes short of 365¼ days.—Raleigh (N. C.) News Observer.

A Hay Cutter.

The question has been asked, whether, instead of cutting hay in the ordinary way, it would not be preferable to make one big job of it and put it through a threshing machine. Such a machine would break it up a good deal, but we are unable to surmise just what shape the bulk of the product would be left. But why resort to this sort of an experiment when a large sized feed-cutter will take it as fast as a threshing machine, if not faster, and all know just what form it will be left in? We were talking with a farmer only the other day who was using a cutter which disposed of the hay as fast as three men could handle the material to the machine—about a ton every twenty minutes—using a two-horse tread power. It is not such a serious job as some imagine to put hay through one of these machines, the principal items to be considered being the labor of handling the hay from the stack or mow to the machine, and a little more labor in feeding it out. On the other hand, the feeding operation can be made much more exact and a waste avoided, which has been estimated by some as high as 30 per cent, and which, even where the best hay is used, is always very considerable where animals are full fed.—Breeder's Gazette.

A Lady in South Carolina Writes.

My labor was shorter and less painful than on two former occasions; physicians astonished; I thank you for Mother's Friend. It is worth its weight in gold.

Sold by Buckner Leavell, Druggist Hopkinsville, Ky.

The Kentuckian is the cheapest paper published in this end of State.

SOGGLESPEIL'S CAT.

She Wears a Pair of Artificial Teeth and Spoils Her Master's Sport.

She was far from handsome on the day that little Fritzy Sogglespeil fished her out of the culvert opening at the corner; but a ragged stream from the hose improved her a bit, and when she dried out and set up a husky purring in gratitude her good disposition hid her physical defects and she was taken in as a member of the Sogglespeil *menage* by acclamation.

For several days she was content to lie under the ice-chest and allow the sewerage gas to work out of her pores; but one morning while the family were at breakfast she bounded out, caught the most plethoric rat that had ever been seen in the ward, and placing it carefully at Mr. Sogglespeil's feet retired modestly to her lair.

From that day Freida, as they called her, lived the life of a pampered queen. The choicest cuts of Frankfurter and the longest draughts of Sweitzerenso buttermilk were hers, and she waxed fat, but not lazy, and soon had the rats and mice feeling like New York aldermen in Montreal. At last came a day when Sogglespeil had company, and as an inexpensive and exciting entertainment he bought a large wharf rat for Freida to massacre to make a German holiday.

"Vait till you ged your eye on dot gat mit der rad," he said to his wife's uncle. "She vill it git der paralyzo burty kewick. Led her go, Fridzy!" and Fritzy "let her go."

The cat made one grand bound, alighted squarely on the back of the squeaking rat, rolled her eyes back and forth a few times, turned a back summersault and tried to scratch her right-hand whiskers with her left back paw, at the same time giving vent to a plaintive "whoop!" which Sogglespeil translated as a paean of victory.

The rat came up smiling after the onslaught with an expression of amazed doubt on his face at finding himself alive, and gazed into Freida's face with much apparent pleasure.

Once again did the cat make a bound, and this time she turned completely over, rolled a short distance, and slapped herself up against the door-casing like a wad of underdone dough.

The rat, observing that he was hardly needed to add to the features of the circus, ran between Mrs. Sogglespeil's feet, climbed the back of grossmamma's rocking-chair and jumped out of the window, while Sogglespeil started for a Queen-Ann horse-pistol in a mortified rage and his shirt sleeves. He was just about to sink an artesian well in the person of his pet when he noticed a peculiar expression on her face. On looking closer he straightened up, raised his hands aloft, and as Grandma Sogglespeil left the room to get out of range, exclaimed: "I vos a low Dutch schlossenwasser ouf dot cat aind god der mumbps!"

But Freida did *not* have the mumps, for as little Fritzy crawled coyly under the table, while grandma, with much gummy mutterings, searched anxiously for her new set of chewing apparatus, he was heard to murmur: "Heefen knows how I ged dem false toot's out dot gat's moud, dey vos so hard to ged in, bud, by grachsi vos id nod foonl!!"—*J. S. Goodwin, in Judge.*

CRACKER MANUFACTURE.

The Journey from Flour Barrel to Cracker Box Described in Detail.

Step into one of Detroit's leading cracker manufactories, one using from 80 to 100 barrels of flour daily. Nothing but the very best brands of Michigan roller process flour are used; white wheat flour for color and red wheat flour for strength.

Here are ten large troughs 20 feet long and of width and depth to hold the dough made from 10 to 12 barrels of flour. The troughs for a morning's baking are filled with flour, the yeast put in and set to sponge over night. The afternoon's baking is similarly treated at early morning. Here is a trough with a ton and a quarter of dough, and from 8 to 10 of them are filled daily. Higher and still higher rises the ambitious yeast, light as childhood's own heart and spongy as a free lunch fiend—only in a totally different way.

The critical time approaches. Two vigilant employes scoop a channel through the flour, leaving a thin dam at the end next the yeast. The shortening, about two tierces to eighty barrels of flour, is put in and thoroughly mixed. A few moments' respite is utilized by the yeast to work itself into a fine frenzy. Just before its "mad ambition doth o'erleap itself," the barrier is broken away and the foamy current fills the floury tanks. The two vigilantes, bared as to arms, go at it with a vim, mixing, kneading, tugging and lifting at the doughy mass. Three times must it thus be handled, a ton and a quarter to a ton and a half each time, and eight to ten such doughs daily. There's a health lift for one, quite as energetic as a rowing or base-ball and a thousandfold more useful.

The kneaded dough, having reached the required lightness, is run through a mixer, a machine with an apparatus like a gigantic corkscrew, revolving in a box. Thoroughly mixed, it is placed on large receiving trays, where it puffs itself up quite equal to Mrs. Parvenu in a four-story stone-front.

Marvelous how light-hearted it keeps under tribulation! If it only knew! For right here is a machine called a "break," having two rollers 20 inches long and 8 in diameter, and an appetite for dough that is never satisfied. The keeper of the jovial monster grasps a nice little biscuit of 75 to 100 pounds weight and tosses it into the hopper. With a fierce growl of pleasure, the machine grasps its feed and deposits it in a neatly-folded blanket of dough on the table beneath.

With a deft motion the keeper flings it in again and again until at the sixth inning it is called out by the umpire, a nice little blanket or "form," 6 to 8 feet long, 2 feet wide and 1 to 2 inches thick.

Stacked up on the trays, it rapidly recovers its spirits. Another keeper seizes the form and rushes it through a smaller break, which closely imitates the actions and jovial snarl of its full-grown brother. The form emerges from its ordeal a prose poem in dough.

The attenuated form is passed over to the tender mercies of the cutting machine, where sets of rollers hug it down until thin enough to be considered beautiful. Then a plunging apparatus stamps out the crackers. A little farther on a brush device descends and forces the three-cornered fragments and crumbs out on first base. This affects a great saving, and is one of the cutest things in the house.

Beside this machine is the oven. Here stands an operative with a thin board about two feet by four, technically called a "peel." Working with all the automatic precision and regularity of a machine, he slips the peel under the oncoming stream of crackers, lifts off a strip 20 inches wide by 3 feet long and drops it into the oven. Whew! it is hot before the oven, and would be worse but for an immense fan worked overhead by machinery.

The ovens are immense brick affairs, heated by a ton of coal daily, and containing immense reels ten feet in diameter, carrying, in a manner to be always level, twelve pans, on which the crackers are baked. An assistant rakes off the baked ones into a chute; on goes the new lot, and descending into the depths of cracker hades, pass upward, down again, and in eight minutes emerge purified in character and fixed in form, light without levity and done to a turn.

Down the chute in headlong haste they go, have their tempers properly cooled, and packed in boxes and barrels and shipped to those who know a good thing when they taste it. Our 100 barrels of flour are now 400 barrels of crackers.—*Detroit News.*

An Old Adirondack Birch.

At last we found it. In a rocky dell of the dense forest, a gigantic yellow birch reared its scaly trunk, limbless to a great height, before it branched and spread into a mass of foliage, vivid green in the noon sunlight that came through the tree tops. Around this gigantic birch other old trees were clustered, and now we noticed that nearly every one bore some strange scar—witness marks made by men who searched these forests one hundred and sixteen years ago. It is a noble tree, this birch. Its bark bears scars and marks and numbers cut there before the American Republic existed. It fluttered those leaves of vivid green as brightly and as merrily when King George the Third was King as it does to-day. Yes! long before that this giant tree had lived its quiet life; before Braddock had fallen in the ambuscade near the Monongahela; before Wolfe scaled the heights of Abraham; perhaps when Cromwell swept the royal army before him along Marston Moor—this tree was breathing the pure Adirondack air. We read the old inscriptions on the bark—a few awkwardly-made figures—and traced out the lines.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

—English physicians condemn cigarette smoking because it produces throat diseases. Even the best cigarettes are dangerous. They cause more consumption of nicotine than either the cigar or the pipe.

Railroad Revenues.

Besides their receipts from freight and passenger traffic railroads derive revenue also from the transportation of mails and express freight on passenger trains, from the sleeping-car companies, and from the news companies for the privilege of selling upon trains. Of the total revenue about 70 per cent is usually derived from freight, 25 per cent. from passengers, and 5 per cent. from mail, express, sleeping cars, and privileges. When it is considered that high speed involves great risks and necessitates a far more perfect roadway, more costly machinery and appliances, and a higher grade and greater number of employees the fast passenger, mail, and express traffic hardly seems at present to yield its due proportion of income.—From "Railway Management," by E. P. Alexander, in the January *Scribner's.*

CURIOUS LONDON CLUBS.

Peculiar Social Societies to Be Found in the East End of the Metropolis.

A short tour through the East End of London has convinced us that the clubs thereabouts are equally as singular as the curious contests held in that quarter.

One of the most amusing is The Judge and Jury. This is a society formed for the purpose of trying mock charges among its members, and is usually held in the parlor of some convenient public house once a week in the winter months, and at stated intervals at the present time. Stepney, Limehouse, Whitechapel, Spitalfields and other typical East End localities all have their Judge and Jury.

The "charges" are always of a most outrageous as well as humorous description.

Many years ago bird fanciers' clubs were much in vogue, but there are very few in existence now.

One of these was for the purpose of relieving a brother bird-catcher when in distress of a peculiar kind.

The law only allows birds to be caught at certain times of the year, and representatives of the lime and twig found laying down their bait out of season were subject to severe penalties.

A weekly payment of three pence or six pence to the funds of the society was sufficient to secure a prompt payment of the penalty if caught thus infringing the law.

Another club, peculiar to the bird-catching fraternity, was once a recognized institution, and we believe, although it is not conducted on such a large scale nowadays, that interested parties still meet and talk the matter over in a small way.

The members are known as The Canaries, and the latest idea or dodge discovered in transforming the humble sparrow into a more aristocratic bird changing its coat to another color was discussed and experiments made on the table.

It was said, too, and on good authority, that these men were in the habit of further experimenting on the birds by piercing them with red hot needles in order to make them sing better, but one of the oldest dealers in Bird Fair assured the writer that this latter experiment had never been done to his knowledge.

You will find in the East End clubs for pickpockets and their brethren, clubs for beggars, who mass their takings in the way of victuals together and partake of a meal from the same dish; but one of the most curious is the Teapot Club.

This society is supported by the frequenters of cheap lodging houses, whose limited exchequer will allow them to occasionally partake of the fragrant cup.

The teapot of the lodging-house parlor is the common property of the tenants, and in many of the houses a woman has it given into her charge, while those who wish for a mug of tea every evening can have the same guaranteed on payment of from 1d to 1½d per week.

With the subscriptions from the lodgers "siftings" at 1s per pound, are purchased and brewed accordingly.

A club, too, exists in the East End only open to men who have met and conquered some recognized champion in the pugilistic world; but among some of the most curious we are inclined to number those devoted to gambling for such small stakes as permit lads to enter the arena of speculation and—lose.

There are scores of these places in London. When standing at Spitalfields Church you are within easy reach of a dozen of such haunts, and we are now about to enter an East End gambling saloon.—*London Tid-Bits.*

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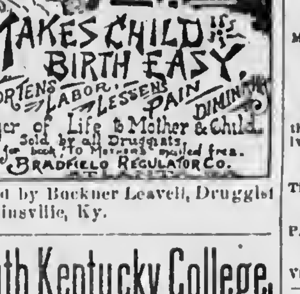

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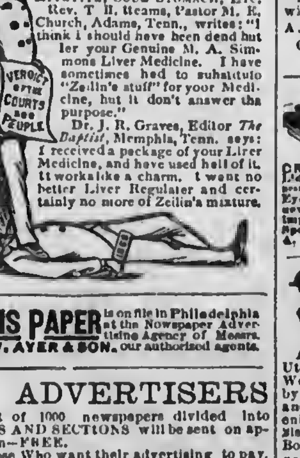

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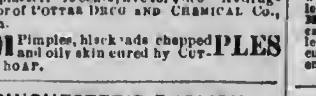

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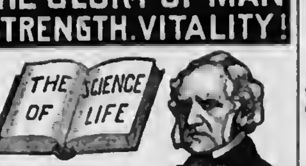

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